



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Istvan BAKONDI-KOVACS *et al.*
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FOR CARBAMOYL TOBRAMYCIN PRODUCTION
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Docket No. 02664/47002

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 9, 2004, the due date for which has been extended with a Petition attached, applicants request the following amendment be entered.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.